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Trust to Nature.

A great many Americans, both men and women, are thin, pale and puny, with poor circulation, because they have ill-treated their stomachs by eating or too much eating, by consuming alcoholic beverages, or by too close confinement to home, office or factory, and in consequence the stomach must be treated in a natural way before they can rectify their earlier mistakes. The muscles in many such people, in fact in every weary, thin and thin-blooded person, do their work with great difficulty. As a result fatigue comes early, is extreme and lasts long. The demand for nutritive aid is ahead of the supply. To insure perfect health, every tissue, bone, nerve, and muscle should take from the blood certain materials and return to it certain others. It is necessary to prepare the stomach for the work of making good, rich, red blood. We must go to Nature for the remedy. There were certain roots known to the Indians of this country before the advent of the white man, which led to the knowledge of the

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HORRORS OF THE EARTHQUAKE.

The steamer Thomas Brooks has arrived at Santiago, Cuba, from Kingston with 17 refugees. They paint a horrible picture of the catastrophe and confirm the reports of the destruction of the principal buildings. The pilots do not dare to enter the harbor owing to the changes in the channel.
The Machado cigar factory, in which many Cubans were at work, crumbled, and 120 of them were killed. Ninety children were killed in the collapse of a school.
The refugees confirm previous reports of the Kingston disaster. According to them 25 square blocks of the city have been destroyed by fire. Every building within a radius of 10 miles was injured. Along the water front the cracks in the earth are six inches wide. Sixty-four legs and arms were amputated on board a hospital steamer. When the earthquake occurred there were only four doctors on the island.
The awful devastation caused by the earthquake became more apparent as time passed.
Without warning the earth began to shake and tremble at 8:30 Monday afternoon. The shocks, which came from the westward, lasted exactly 31 seconds. The whole city rocked like a ship in a choppy sea, and buildings reeled and fell. Eastward a dense cloud of dust arose and enveloped Kingston in semi-darkness. The shocks were most destructive along the harbor front where entire streets were leveled. Crowds of frightened, shrieking people streamed northwards towards the racetrack, hundreds, with heads and bodies cut and bruised, covered with blood. Those who escaped with slight injury reported that large numbers of persons were buried under the fallen stores and tenements.
As the dust lifted, pillars of smoke arose in Harbor street, near the parish church and shortly afterward flames shot into the sky. It was then perceived that fire would complete the work of the earthquake. In half an hour the flames were spreading from block to block in the business section. The fire department was unable to stay the conflagration, owing to the inadequate supply of water, the earthquake having broken the mains. Fortunately a north-east wind was blowing at the time, which confined the conflagration to the southern portion of the city. The fire raged all night and ultimately spent its force Tuesday forenoon.
The buildings in the upper portion of the city were uninhabitable and the residents sought refuge in the public parks or on lawns adjoining the wrecked houses. It was a pitiable sight. Thousands of persons were homeless, and hundreds were enduring agony from broken heads and limbs under the open sky. The city doctors were busy all night, amputating limbs and dressing wounds. The worse cases were taken to the public hospital, where the staff doctors attended to them, but many expired before morning.

Ravages of Floods.

The floods in the tributaries of the Ohio river appear to be falling, but continued rains cause new fears. In Pittsburgh the darkness of night has prevailed for nearly two days. At McKeesport and other places big industrial establishments suspended operations and 10,000 miners are idle. Along the Ohio in the Buckeye State the situation was reported worse, railroad and street-car traffic being demoralized in Cincinnati, while several smaller towns report that factories had to be closed and many people were driven from homes. Trains on the Baltimore and Ohio and the Western Maryland railroads are blocked by landslides and trees broken off near the ground by the weight of sleet upon them. A number of towns in West Virginia are flooded either entirely or in part, and the inhabitants have had to move merchandise as well as household goods to second stories. All the streams in West Virginia are over their banks and much damage has been caused. The people of Shawneetown, Ill., fear a repetition of the disaster of 1893, when 29 lives were lost by the breaking of the levee.

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Prevalence of Earthquakes.

That there is no unusual prevalence of earthquakes is the opinion of Prof. Louis V. Pierson, of Yale's Sheffield Scientific School. The recent series of quakes has happened in inhabited regions of the world and has called attention to earth phenomena, but Professor Pierson says there is probably an earthquake somewhere almost every day, though unchronicled, because in remote or uninhabited regions. Professor Pierson adds: "There is no epidemic of earthquakes at present, nor is there anything to indicate that there have been more quakes than usual in the last year. Some scientists have tried to show that there are certain periods of years in which earthquakes are more frequent than in others, but I do not think they have succeeded in proving their case. When an earthquake reaches an inhabited country an alarm is at once given, telegraphic communication is cut off, and so forth. But there are earthquakes every bit as severe as that of Kingston occurring every day which are never heard of."

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